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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER FR-AM 1977 NP DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) APPLICATION NO (If through see 37 CFR 1.5) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 02 September 2004 (02.09.04) INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/FR2004/002231 PRIORITY DATE 19 September 2003 (19.09.03) TITLE OF INVENTION HYDROFLUOROCARBON-BASED COMPOSITION AND USE THEREOF APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US GUILPAIN, G. et al Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: 1. Mark This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include 3. items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. 4. 🛛 The US has been elected (Article 31). A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)) 5. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). П has been communicated by the International Bureau. b. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. \boxtimes is attached hereto. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)) are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). have been communicated by the International Bureau. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. have not been made and will not be made. 8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). (inexecuted) 9. 🛛 An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT 10. 🔲 Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)). Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 13. A preliminary amendment. 14. An application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. A substitute specification. 16. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. 17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.

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